HASSAN DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEETING OF THE HASSAN DISTRICT BOARD, HELD ON MONDAY THE 18TH FEBRUARY 1907.

PRESENT.

P. R. W. Wetherall, Esq., President.

Ex-officio Members.

Mr. Syed Amir Hassan, Senior Assistant Commissioner, Saklespur.
„ M. A. Narayanaiengar, B.A., B.L., General Assistant Commissioner.
„ T. Dharmaraj Chetty, Treasury Assistant Commissioner and Vice-President of District Board.
„ C. Rajaram Rao, L.M.S., District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Hassan.
„ M. K. Tirumalachar, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hassan District.

Non-official Members.

Mr. M. Lakshminarasimhachar.
„ Keni Mahadevappa.
„ W. L. Crawford.
„ Igoor Mallegowda.
„ Bellur Nanjegowda *alias* Puttegowda.
„ K. Thammaiya.
„ Habibulla Saib.
„ Kencharayachetty.
„ G. Tirunarniengar.
„ Dharanaiya Chetty.
„ Nanjanna.
„ Suryanarayana Chetty.
„ Abdulla Sab.
„ Mahalingegowda.

ABSENT.

Ex-officio Members.

Mr. F. A. Steele, Executive Engineer, Hassan Division.

Non-official Members.

Mr. H. Dasappa.
„ N. D. Venkataramaiya.
„ Koneri Rama Chetty.
„ Gurulingegowda.

I. Read the budget estimates compiled by the Finance Committee for the year 1907-08.

Resolution.—Resolved that the budget estimates and the report of the Finance Committee be approved with the modification that the provision of Rs. 1,000 under A. Public works towards special repairs to the Hassan-Arsikere road, as suggested by the Finance Committee, be disallowed and that this amount be added to B. Public works and that the budget estimates thus revised be sent up to Government for sanction.

II. (*a*) Read yadi No. 1105—1387, dated 9—18th December 1906, from the General Assistant Commissioner, forwarding for publication in the Gazette a notification for selling the right of collecting tolls on the Hole-Narsipur bridge for the year 1907-08.

(*b*) Proposed by the President that the right of the collecting tolls at the Hassan-Arsikere road toll-gates be also put up to auction for the year 1907-08.

Resolution.—(*a*) Resolved that the notification concerning the auction sale of the right of collecting tolls on the Hole-Narsipur bridge be sent for publication in the *Mysore Gazette.*

(*b*) Further resolved that Government be moved to sanction the auctioning of the right to collect tolls at the Hassan-Arsikere road toll-gates for the year 1907-08.

III. (*a*) Read Government Proceedings No. 2204-5—L. B. (195-05)-12, dated the 8th September 1906, sanctioning the payment of Rs. 216 to the contractor of the well work at Rajanasiriyur in the Belur Taluk and requesting the submission of a further report with estimate for continuing the work after the joint inspection of it by the Executive Engineer and the Senior Assistant Commissioner.

(*b*) Read correspondence ending with Senior Assistant Commissioner's yadi No. 481—1656, dated 19th January 1907, on the above subject as also Executive Engineer's letter No. 181—18, dated 21st and 23rd January 1907.

Resolution.—Resolved that as advised by the Executive Engineer, the present site of the well be abandoned for reasons stated in his letter and another site selected, but

as there will be insufficient funds for this work, during the ensuing official year, Government be moved to kindly sanction a sum of Rs. 700 for the work from Local Funds General.

IV. Read General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 3319—L. B. F. (402-05)-6, dated 30th October 1906, requesting the submission of a report as to how and on what principles, the classification of shops in santes for levying fees is proposed to be made, etc.

Resolution.—Resolved that this Board are of opinion that classification of shops should be regulated by the nature and quantity of articles exposed for sale and that the assessment of such sante shops should be made by the Amildar and placed before the Taluk Board concerned for approval.

V. (*a*) Read Subject No. VI of the District Board Proceedings, dated 10th December 1906, concerning the approval of Government to the sale of the inspection lodge at Arehalli to Mr. Habibulla Sab for the purposes of a musafirkhana.

(*b*) Read Mr. Habibulla Sab's mutchalika, presented this day before the District Board, agreeing to maintain the building at his cost.

Resolution.—Recorded.

VI. Read Subject No. X of the District Board Proceedings, dated 10th December 1906, calling for the resolution of the Manjarabad Taluk Board, in the matter of establishing a toll-gate on the Bisle Ghat road.

Read Senior Assistant Commissioner's yadi No. 431—1465, dated 28—29th December 1906, forwarding copy of the resolution of the Manjarabad Taluk Board expressing an opinion that a toll-gate may be established on the Bisle Ghat road.

Resolution.—Resolved that the establishment of a toll-gate at the junction of the bridle path with the Bisle Ghat road near Vanagur, be recommended to Government for sanction.

VII. (*a*) Read Subject No. V of the District Board Proceedings, dated 22nd September 1906, in the matter of constructing a bridge across the halla falling into the Cauvery near Kerlapur.

(*b*) Read Arkalgud Taluk Amildar's report No. 545—1539, dated 5th January 1907, submitting a list of villages that will be benefitted by the bridge and a sketch showing the position of the proposed bridge and the relative position of the surrounding villages.

Resolution.—Resolved that the list of villages and the sketch received from the Arkalgud Taluk Amildar be submitted for information of Government.

Further resolved that owing to the great paucity of funds of this District Board, Government be moved to sanction two-thirds of the cost of the bridge from Provincial Funds.

VIII. Read Government Proceedings No. 5237-9—L. F. 64-05-6, dated 18th December 1906, ordering that provision be made for a Vaidyasala at Sravanabelagola in the ensuing year's District Fund budget for meeting the cost of the same and to renew the recommendation after the completion of the building promised to be erected by Mr. Padmarajaiya at Sravanabelagola and that a plan of the building with a copy of the estimate be also submitted for the information of Government.

Resolution.—Resolved that as provision for the cost of establishment, etc., of a Vaidyasala at Sravanabelagola has been made in the budget for the ensuing year, replies of the Executive Engineer and the District Medical and Sanitary Officer be awaited as to a suitable site for the new building.

IX. Read General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 6021-8—L. F. 200-06-1, dated 4th January 1907, forwarding for report with the views of the District Board, Subject No. 239 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906, in the matter of the District Board giving up the maintenance of roads leading to certain estates, on account of their heavy cost.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Board are of opinion that the representation of the member is not applicable to this district, since no road of the kind in this district leads exclusively to estates, but there are roads which lead to villages in the vicinity of estates and they have been found very useful to the travelling public as also to the inhabitants of such villages.

X. Read General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 6041-8—L. F. 185-06, dated 4th January 1907, forwarding for the consideration of the District Board, Subject No. 218 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906, representing that a portion of the Local Funds be set apart for the sanitary improvement of villages and that the same may be utilized every year for the benefit of villages containing more than fifty houses.

Resolution.—Resolved that as provision for village sanitation is being made in each year's budget as far as District Funds admit, it is not possible to do more at present.

XI. Read General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 6217-24—L. F. 196-06-1, dated 11th January 1907, forwarding for the reconsideration of the Local Boards and submission of a report with copies of the resolutions as regards Subject No. 230 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906 representing that the raising of the pound fee on goats has not been given effect to.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Board are of opinion that the rate of fine for impounded goats in this district, *viz.*, 2 annas in the malnad and 1 anna in the maidan, is sufficiently high and does not require to be raised.

XII. Read General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 6233-40—L. F. 190-06-1, dated 11th January 1907, forwarding for report with the resolution of the District Board, Subject No. 223 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906, in the matter of the Village Sanitation Regulation and Rules being made applicable to villages containing fifty houses.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Board are of opinion that the minimum number of houses in a village may with advantage be reduced from hundred to fifty so that a larger number of villages may be brought under the provisions of the Village Sanitation Regulation and the Rules framed thereunder.

XIII. Read General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 6305-7—L. F. 179-06-1, dated 11th January 1907, forwarding for needful action and report in consultation with District Board, Subject No. 212 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906, in the matter of the allotment of funds for village roads.

Resolution.—Resolved that this Board are of opinion that such roads have been provided in most parts of the district so that there is little room for hardship in this respect.

XIV. Read General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 6320—L. F. 207-06-1, dated 11th January 1907, forwarding for consideration and disposal by the District Board, Subject No. 406 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906, in the matter of opening a road from Arsikere to Javagal *via* Chikkur.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Board are of opinion that it would be more useful and much less expensive to extend the existing cart-track between Harnahalli and Kalyadi on to Javagal than that proposed between Chikkur and Javagal. The Dasara Representative member who mooted the subject now present as a member of this Board also concurs in this opinion. But for want of funds the work cannot now be undertaken.

XV. Read Government Proceedings No. 6809-10—L. B. (208-06)-3, dated 2nd February 1907, communicating to the Presidents of the District Boards of Tumkur and Hassan for needful action in consultation with the respective District Boards, Subject No. 407 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906, in the matter of constructing culverts on the Arsikere-Huliyar road out of Provincial Funds.

Resolution.—Resolved that, as the road in question is one of the railway feeder-roads of Arsikere Railway Station, there is considerable traffic on it, but owing to paucity of District Funds, Government be moved to sanction the cost of constructing culverts from Local Funds General.

XVI. Read Executive Engineer's docket Nos. 69—6 and 345—34, dated 10th January 1907 and 5th February 1907, respectively, in the matter of providing Rs. 860 as contribution on account of widening the bunds of the Melgode Bekkinkere in the Hassan Taluk and Ponnathpur tank in the Belur Taluk.

Resolution.—Resolved that the Executive Engineer's attention be invited to this Board's resolutions No. XXI, dated 8th September 1905, and No. VII, dated 18th November 1905, copies of which have already been forwarded to him regarding these two tanks.

XVII. Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 389—37, dated 7th February 1907, requesting the grant of Rs. 5,750 and if that be not possible at least a sum of Rs. 3,450 for effecting special repairs to the Arsikere-Hassan road during 1907-08.

Resolution.—Resolved that for want of funds owing to the over-estimate of toll-gate realizations which are found to be very much below the estimate, nothing can possibly be sanctioned for special repairs until the toll-gate realizations improve. All repairs and improvements must therefore be undertaken from the allotment of Rs. 250 per mile. The amount of Rs. 1,000 provided by the Finance Committee for special repairs on the Hassan-Arsikere road is disallowed and transferred to Hassan Taluk Board as extra provision for building a 1st class musafirkhana at Hassan, the want of which has very long been felt by the travelling public.

XVIII. Read the following for the information of the District Board:—

(1) Government Proceedings No. 4914-5—L. F. 157-06-2, dated 11th December 1906, sanctioning as a tentative measure for a period of two years, the reduction of

rates on four-wheeled and two-wheeled carriages from Rs. 2 and 1 to annas 8 and 4, respectively, when the carriages are laden and to half the above reduced rates when they are empty.

(2) Government Proceedings No. 5331-2—L. F. 66-06-3, dated 20th December 1906, sanctioning the reappropriation of funds for payment of compensation to the owner of lands acquired for the construction of a musafirkhana at Mallipatna, Arkalgud Taluk.

(3) Government Memo No. 6180, dated 10th January 1907, forwarding copy of Notification No. 6179—L. F. 296-06-2, dated 10th January 1907, appointing the Bellur Mande Patel Nanjegowda *alias* Puttegowda as a member of the Hassan District Board, in place of Mr. Sundekere Srikantaiya, deceased.

(4) General and Revenue Secretary's docket No. 6289-96—L. F. 186-06-1, dated 11th January 1907, forwarding for information Subject No. 219 of the Dasara Representative Assembly of 1906, in the matter of mohatarfa of non-Municipal villages to be used for the sanitation of those villages and the reply of Government thereto, stating that such mohatarfa tax cannot be set apart for the purpose.

(5) Letter dated 27th December 1906, from the Honorary Secretary, South Mysore Planters' Association, acknowledging with thanks the receipt of the District Board President's letter dated 20th idem, intimating the reduction in the rates of tolls on four-wheeled and two-wheeled carriages at the Dudda Toll-gates.

Resolution.—Recorded.

XIX. Read docket No. 120, dated 22nd December 1906, from the General Assistant Commissioner, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 120 for effecting necessary and urgent repairs to the chattram building at Gandasi (a non-budgetted work).

Resolution.—Resolved that sanction of Government be obtained to this work at a cost of Rs. 120, which may be met out of Rs. 1,000 provided for incomplete works under "B. II Repairs" in the current year's District Fund budget.

XX. Read extract from the Inspection Report of the Hassan District Medical and Sanitary Officer (after visiting the cholera infected villages in the Arkalgud Taluk), suggesting the advisability of having two or three Abysinian pumps (tube wells) in the district for use in the cholera infected villages.

Resolution.—Resolved that Government sanction be obtained to the purchase of an apparatus for boring a tube well at a cost of Rs. 150 for trial in sandy soils when required, the cost being met out of Rs. 200 provided under "X Miscellaneous, (4) Cholera and Plague charges" in the current year's District Fund budget.

XXI. Read Hassan Taluk Amildar's report No. 372—1445, dated 28th December 1906, requesting supply of Toll-gate receipt books. As the previous supply has been exhausted, Messrs. V. B. Subbaiya & Sons were asked to supply 10,000 forms, and the cost of the same *viz.*, Rs. 38, was paid as per their bill dated 15th January 1907, plus money order commission of 7 annas, the cost being met from the provision of Rs. 1,000 available under "X Miscellaneous, 6 Other items, (*b*) Toll gate charges."

Resolution.—Resolved that the cost incurred be passed.

XXII. Read the list of budgetted works for which estimates have been received:—

Name of taluk and of work	Estimate amount	Remarks
Belur Taluk.		
Deepening a well at Padavalalu	150	Sanctioned.
Sinking a well at Bandilakkana Koppal	250	Do
Alur Sub-Taluk.		
Sinking a well at Murdur	286	Sanctioned for Rs. 250 only.
Do at Kundur	296	Sanctioned.

XXIII. Read letters from the following members expressing their inability to attend the meeting:—

Mr. F. A. Steele, Executive Engineer.
" N. D. Venkataramaiya.
" Koneri Ramachetty
" H. Dasappa.
" Gurulingegowda.

Resolution.—Recorded

XXIV. Resolved that the next meeting of the District Board be fixed for the 13th May 1907 at 2 P.M.

P. R. W. WETHERALL,
President, District Board.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Notification dated 24th January 1907.

It is proposed that the town of Shimoga, which comprises the area included within the boundaries described below, should be constituted a permanent Municipality under Regulation VII of 1906, and all persons who entertain any objection thereto should submit the same with the reasons therefor in writing to the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, within two months from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Mysore Gazette*.

Boundaries.

North.—From the boundary stone in the Bangalore-Honnavar road and including Lingappa's deserted bungalow compound along the Municipal road to the east, including Deputy Commissioner's bungalow and the Executive Engineer's office, touching the Honnali road near Survey No. 30 of the Shimoga village, and passing along the same road to the Octroi shed at the junction of the Shimoga-Honnali (Harihar) road (one from the front of the Executive Engineer's office) and the other *via* (Somiah's tank bund) at Survey No. 60 of Mullakere village.

South.—Tunga river from the boundary stone in the Agumbi road, inclusive, to the south end of the Tunga Bridge near Octroi Katte (in the new extension) passing behind the old forest lodge and the houses of the Islapur village up to the boundary stone, on the Bangalore-Honnavar road on through the Survey Nos. 16, 15, 14 and 13 of the Islapur village.

East.—From Survey No. 13 of Islapur village, crossing the Shimoga-Holehonnur road near the boundary stone, and passing along the Survey Nos. 26, 25, 24 and 21 near the late distillery building and then turning up to the west end of the Tunga Bridge, in front of the Octroi Katte and along the Honnali road, passing on Somiah's tank bund to the Octroi-shed near the junction of the Honnali road (shown under parenthesis in clause 1) at Survey No. 60 of Mullakere village.

West.—From the boundary stone in the Bangalore-Honnavar road and including Hodigere Murugendrappa's bungalow along that road to the south, including the Silledar's stables and lines and Survey Nos. 113 and 114 of the Millaghatta village, to the Tunga river near the boundary stone at the Agumbi road.

M. NARAIN RAO,
Deputy Commissioner.

IN THE COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE AT BANGALORE.

Miscellaneous Application No. 578 of 1906-07.

V. S. Munisami Mudaliar, pensioner, Mysore Public Works Department, residing in Ulsoor Ter Veedi D, 1 street, Door No. 3, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore ... *Applicant.*

In the matter of the property of (1) Radhaboyi and (2) Ambaboyi, resident of Civil and Military Station, Bangalore .. *Minors.*

Whereas V. S. Munisami Mudaliar, resident of Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, claiming to be the grandfather of (1) Radhaboyi, (2) Ambaboyi, the minors above named, has applied for a certificate of Administration of the property of the said minors.

Notice is hereby issued of the said application, and Friday the 5th day of April 1907 is fixed for hearing the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 30th day of March 1907.

J. H. BHABHA,
Sub-Judge.